

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

WALTER EDWARD LEMM, JR., Individually  
and on Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.,  
THOMAS R. CANGEMI and JOHN J. PINTO,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-00903-NRM-JRC

DALE MISKEY, Individually and on  
behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.,  
THOMAS ROBERT CANGEMI and JOHN J.  
PINTO,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-01118-NRM-JRC

**DECLARATION OF JAMES M. WILSON, JR. IN SUPPORT OF SAND HOLLOW  
MANAGEMENT, LLC'S MOTION FOR: (1) CONSOLIDATION OF THE RELATED  
ACTIONS; (2) APPOINTMENT AS LEAD PLAINTIFF; AND (3) APPROVAL OF LEAD  
COUNSEL**

I, James M. Wilson, Jr., declare as follows:

1. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York and am admitted in this Court. I am a partner in the law firm of Faruqi & Faruqi, LLP. I submit this declaration in support of the motion filed by Sand Hollow Management, LLC (“Sand Hollow Management”), for: (1) consolidation of the above-captioned, related actions; (2) appointment of Sand Hollow Management as Lead Plaintiff; and (3) approval of Sand Hollow Management’s selection of Faruqi & Faruqi, LLP to serve as Lead Counsel for the Class. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and would testify thereto if called.

2. Attached as Exhibits A through F are true and correct copies of the following documents:

- Exhibit A: First Notice of Pendency of a Class Action
- Exhibit B: Sand Hollow Management’s PSLRA Certification
- Exhibit C: Chart setting forth Sand Hollow Management’s financial interest in this litigation
- Exhibit D: Declaration of Jason Stubbs Principal and Owner of Sand Hollow Management
- Exhibit E: Firm Resume of Faruqi & Faruqi, LLP
- Exhibit F: Women’s Business Enterprise National Council Certificate

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Executed this 8th day of April 2024 in New York, NY.

/s/ James M. Wilson, Jr.  
James M. Wilson, Jr.